

Garret Vansweringen	}	Comand was given to the Sheriff of St Maries County that he take Mathias Decosta otherwise called Mathias Decosta of St Maries County in the Province of Maryland planter if he Should be found in his Baili-	Liber M M
ag ^t Mathias Decosta			

wick and him safe Keepe So that he have his body here the eighth day of December in the three & fortith yeare of his Lopps Dominion &c to answer unto Garret Vansweringen of a plea that he render unto him the summe of eight thousand pounds of tobacco which to him he Oweth and unjustly deteineth

Att which day the same Sheriff maketh returne that the said Mathias is not found in his Bailiwick. whereupon Ordered that an Attachment be granted the plaintiff according to Act of Assembly in that case made

John Quigley	}	John Dobbs late of Kent County otherwise called John Dobbs of Kent County was Sumoned to answer unto John Quigley in a plea that he render unto him Six thousand twenty One pounds of tobacco which to him he oweth and unjustly deteineth
ag ^t John Dobbs		

And whereupon the said John Quigley by Kenelm Cheseldyn his Attorney Saith that whereas the Said John Dobbs the first day of June in the yeare One thousand six hundred Seventy foure by his certaine writeing Obligatory Sealed with the Seale of the Said John Dobbs here in Court produced whose date is the same day and yeare abovewritten did bind himselfe his heirs execut^{rs} adm^{rs} to pay or cause to be paid to Cap^t John Quigley his executors administrators or certaine Attorney or assignes conveniently in Chester River the full and just Summe of Six thousand twenty and One pounds of good Sound merchantable tobacco and caske it being for a valuable Consideration already in hand received notwithstanding which the said John Dobbs the said summe of six thousand twenty One pounds of tobacco to him the said John Quigley according to the tenor of his said writeing Obligatory hath not paid though often thereunto required but the same to pay hitherto hath and Still doth deny to the damage of the Said John Quigley eight thousand pounds of tobacco And thereupon he bringeth his suite.

Now here at this day to witt the ninth day of December in the 43th yeare of his Lopps Dominion &c Came the Said John Dobbs by Robert Carvile his Attorney and defendeth the force and injury when &c and Saith nothing in barr or avoidance of the action aforesaid of him the said Jn^o Quigley for that he oweth the said John Quigley the abovesaid sume of Six thousand twenty One pounds of tobacco in the abovesaid declaration mentioned whereupon the said John Quigley remaineth against the said John Dobbs thereof undefended, Therefore it is considered by the Court here that the said